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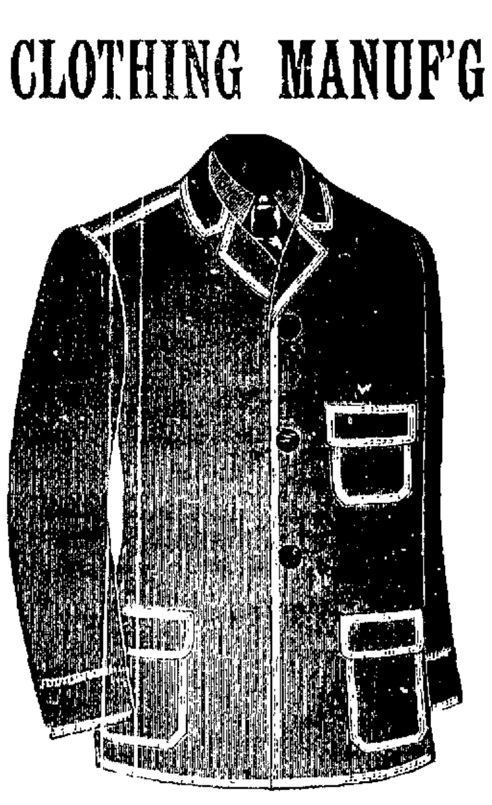

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## FROM WASHINGTON.

### A New Co-Operative Town to be Located in the

### WATAUGA VALLEY IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Senor Da Casta on the Brazilian Situation—A Cheeky Marshal—The Brazilian Revolution—The President to Visit Savannah.

**A New Co-Operative Town to be Located in the Watauga Valley in East Tennessee.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Co-Operative Town Co. of Tennessee, consisting of Hon. Robert P. Porter, president; Hon. John G. Carlisle, Hon. Isham G. Harris, Hon. H. C. Hansbrough, Hon. Benj. Butterworth, Hon. Louis E. McComas and Col. A. T. Britton, held in this city, yesterday, it was definitely decided to locate the new manufacturing town in East Tennessee The location is at Elizabethton, in the celebrated Watauga valley.

In addition to upwards of 5,000 acres of town site lands, it was also decided to purchase 15,000 acres of iron ore, granite and timber lands in the immediate vicinity, making in all over 20,000 acres, and covering what is conceded to be the richest mineral portion of the valley and a section in which experts claim, after careful investigation, Bessemer and the highest grades of steel can be manufactured cheaper than in any other part of the United States. The ore lands purchased by the company are rich in brown hematite to supplement the famous Cranberry Bessemer steel ores which are located directly above the town site.

The delay in making the location, the directors say, was due to the great care exercised in examining at least thirty sites in East Tennessee alone. The officers of the company have given their personal attention to an examination of each of these sites, and in reaching the decision as to the Watauga valley are thoroughly convinced that no better selection could be made for manufacturing, commercial and resident purposes.

**Senor Da Costa on the Brazilian Situation.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—Senor Da Costa, secretary of the Brazilian legation here, will leave Washington to-day for New York, whence he will sail for Brazil. Senor Da Costa does not regard the situation in Brazil as serious enough to endanger the stability of the government. The president, he says, is not an ambitious man with a thirst for power, and there is no doubt, but that his action in establishing martial law was taken in the belief that it was in the interest of the country and necessary under the circumstances. He says he thinks quiet an ultimate order of things will be restored as soon as a new congress is elected.

**A Writ Served in the Cabinet Room of the White House.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—United States Marshal Ransdell served a writ in the cabinet room at the White house, yesterday, on the person of Secretary Noble. The plea is in the case of the River Logging Co. against the secretary of the interior, and the document was the notice to appear. Maj. Ransdell was talking to some friends in the corridor when the secretary entered, and he had to go into the cabinet room for him. It was merely a routine matter and performed in a spirit of great friendliness, but it caused a great deal of amusement at the cabinet meeting.

**The President Invited to Visit Savannah.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—A delegation from Savannah, Ga., headed by Senator Colquitt and Mayor McDonough, called on the president to-day and urged him to visit Savannah, Ga., during the winter. The delegation's appeal was strengthened by a telegram from A. E. Buck and other prominent republicans, urging the president to accept. The president said he would visit Savannah as requested if he could possibly do so.

**The Brazilian Revolution at an End.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—Secretary Blaine received a short dispatch last evening from Minister Conger at Rio Janeiro, stating that the revolution in Brazil was over, and the army, navy and all other branches of the government was under the control of President Fonseca. The dispatch also states that some of the members of the Brazilian congress support Fonseca in the course he has taken and a new congress will be elected.

### RECIPROCITY.

**Increased Shipments to Havana of Articles Embraced in the Treaty.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—The shipments made by the Ward line steamers from the port of New York to Havana of articles embraced in the reciprocity treaty which went into operation September 1 last, for the months of September and October compared with the same months in 1890.

| ARTICLES. | YEAR. 1890. | 1891. |
|---|---|---|
| Potatoes, barrels | 29,934 | 56,897 |
| Lard, tierces | 11,583 | 15,518 |
| Lard, firkins | 591 | 1,285 |
| Lard, cases | 960 | 5,703 |
| Lard, hogsheads | 229 | 228 |
| Bacon, cases | 510 | 1,265 |
| Hams, tierces | 1,322 | 1,065 |
| Hams, barrels | 39 | 161 |
| Hams, crates | 85 | 57 |
| Herring, boxes | 1,083 | 10,853 |
| Onions, barrels | .... | 113 |
| Cabbages, crates | 143 | 405 |
| Beans, barrels | 1,823 | 3,473 |
| Beans, bags | .... | 398 |
| Hay, bales | 363 | 971 |
| Pears, barrels | .... | 234 |
| Oats, bags | 150 | 1,694 |
| Bran, bags | .... | 864 |
| Peas, dry, barrels | 410 | 922 |
| Pork, barrels | 207 | 666 |
| Grapes, barrels | .... | 100 |
| Apples, barrels | 708 | 759 |

The steamship company reports that since the treaty went into effect it has had to charter three extra steamers besides the regular sailings, and that every ship without exception has gone out full. Shipments of machinery for the manufacture of sugar have been greater than ever known before. The company reports that the leading provision merchant in Havana estimates that when the treaty provision as to the reduction of duty on flour takes place, January 1 next, the imports from the United States to Cuba will reach 1,000,000 barrels per annum, or more than double the present total consumption. Judging from the present indications the company anticipates that when the treaty is fully in force it will have to increase the number of its sailings or largely increase the capacity of its ships.

### CLEARING HOUSE RETURNS.

**Weekly Statements from the Leading Money Centers of the Country.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The following table prepared by Bradstreet's gives the clearing-house returns for the week ending November 5, 1891, and the percentage of increase or decrease as compared with the corresponding week of last year:

| CLEARING HOUSES | W'k Ended Nov. 5, 1891. | Inc | Dec. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | $ 668,035,761 | ..... | 8.7 |
| Boston | 98,250,272 | 4.5 | 5.5 |
| Chicago | 91,391,100 | 7.2 | ..... |
| Philadelphia | 69,413,898 | ..... | 15.9 |
| St. Louis | 24,111,658 | 8.3 | ..... |
| San Francisco | 18,725,427 | 7.3 | ..... |
| Baltimore | 14,022,517 | 2.5 | ..... |
| Cincinnati | 11,22[illegible] | 13.9 | ..... |
| Pittsburgh | 12,889,177 | ..... | 15.4 |
| Kansas City | 10,391,746 | 8.0 | ..... |
| Minneapolis | 9,731,193 | 6.6 | ..... |
| New Orleans | 12,036,[illegible]87 | ..... | 11.4 |
| Buffalo | 6,852,251 | 7.1 | ..... |
| Milwaukee | 8,111,346 | 0.6 | ..... |
| Louisville | 7,661,255 | 4.5 | ..... |
| Detroit | [illegible] | 11.6 | ..... |
| Houston | [illegible],892 | 4.0 | ..... |
| Providence | [illegible],415,50[illegible] | 19.2 | ..... |
| Cleveland | [illegible],178,859 | ..... | 0.7 |
| St. Paul | 6,258,977 | 20.5 | ..... |
| Denver | 4,677,669 | ..... | 2.0 |
| Omaha | 4,[illegible],451 | ..... | 15.4 |
| Columbus | 3,3[illegible]2,100 | ..... | 22.4 |
| Richmond | 2,382,860 | 11.3 | ..... |
| Hartford | 1,875,100 | | 8.0 |
| Portland, Ore. | 2,411,746 | ..... | 1.0 |
| Indianapolis | 6,069,288 | 84.3 | ..... |
| Memphis | 4,017,19[illegible] | ..... | 10.3 |
| Nashville | 2,008,258 | ..... | 17.2 |
| Duluth | 2,291,225 | ..... | 4.0 |
| Peoria | 1,932,142 | ..... | 1.1 |
| Washington | 1,868,104 | ..... | 87.9 |
| New Haven | 1,[illegible]92,167 | 0.2 | ..... |
| St. Joseph | 1,922,324 | 26.6 | ..... |
| Rochester | 1,[illegible]60,202 | ..... | 6.0 |
| Dallas | 1,715,939 | ..... | ..... |
| Worcester | 1,262,519 | ..... | 6.2 |
| Springfield | 1,465,798 | ..... | 20.6 |
| Portland, Me. | 1,496,686 | 0.2 | ..... |
| Salt Lake City | 1,692,451 | 0.4 | ..... |
| Norfolk | 1,492,413 | ..... | 15.9 |
| Tacoma | 1,023,548 | ..... | 24.8 |
| Fort Worth | 1,215,661 | ..... | 87.2 |
| Des Moines | 869,792 | 19.9 | ..... |
| Seattle | 906,640 | ..... | 27.1 |
| Sioux City | 1,000,147 | ..... | 22.2 |
| Syracuse | 1,142,701 | ..... | ..... |
| Grand Rapids | 918,612 | 11.6 | ..... |
| *Wilmington | 709,898 | ..... | ..... |
| Lowell | 810,512 | ..... | 47.0 |
| Birmingham | 667,278 | ..... | 12.7 |
| Los Angeles | 978,200 | 10.1 | ..... |
| Lincoln | 667,025 | ..... | 12.6 |
| Lexington | 527,721 | 2.5 | ..... |
| Wichita | 517,811 | ..... | 61.0 |
| New Bedford | 492,062 | 15.3 | ..... |
| Topeka | 441,117 | 6.9 | ..... |
| *Waco | 2,161,144 | ..... | ..... |
| *Galveston | 9,124,553 | 1.02 | ..... |
| *Atlanta | 4,711,320 | ..... | ..... |
| Total United States | $1,158,710,869 | ..... | 6.0 |
| Outside New York | 487,[illegible]91,070 | ..... | 4.2 |
| Dominion of Canada. | | | |
| Montreal | $13,141,870 | ..... | 49.2 |
| Halifax | 1,110,818 | ..... | 17.2 |
| Toronto | 6,921,062 | ..... | ..... |
| Hamilton | 481,358 | ..... | ..... |
| Total Canada | $21,974,758 | ..... | ..... |

*Not included in totals.

### SENSATIONAL TESTIMONY

**Charging a California Judge with Receiving a Bribe.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 7.—The Examiner says Mrs. Calvin Somers, who testified before the grand jury Thursday, gave some sensational testimony.

The suit of Jos. W. Reay against Treadwell, Butler & Owens, was instituted many years ago by plaintiff to confirm his title to a tract of land in this city now valued at over $1,000,000. The case was assigned to Judge Walker Levy by the late Judge Edmunds, and Levy gave a decision for the Treadwell estate.

It was in connection with the rumored expenditure of $30,000 in fixing the case that the grand jury is investigating. Mrs. Somers testified that Judge Edmonds was paid $1,000 to assign the case according to the direction of the defendants. Referring to the disposition of the $30,000, Mrs. Somers said Judge Levy got a portion of it and Chris' Buckley another share, while a third person was given a large sum.

Judge Levy when interviewed declined to make any statement further than that the rumors affecting him had their origin in the spite of a few lawyers who had lost cases in his court.

**Blown to Pieces by Giant Powder.**

LEADVILLE, Col., Nov. 7.—A terrible accident occurred at the Busk tunnel near here at 11 o'clock Thursday night. The news was at once telegraphed to Leadville and a corps of physicians was sent over. They found that one man had been instantly killed and five others terribly injured, two of them fatally. The accident occurred at the heading of Busk tunnel, where eight men were at work drilling. A shot of giant powder had failed to explode, and one of the men attempted to remove it. A terrible explosion followed. Bob Wilkinson was nearest the hole and was instantly, killed being literally torn to pieces.

**Straightening Out the Affairs of the Maverick Bank.**

BOSTON, Nov. 7.—The affairs of the Maverick bank are being straightened out as fast as possible. Matters cannot be completely untangled until the receiver assumes his duties, and loans, assets and claims are classified and scheduled. Then certificates can be issued and deposits made available. Examiner Ewer is accumulating money for checks received since the bank's suspension, and it is said that this will be received when the receiver takes charge. The money in the bank at the time of its closing its doors has been overstated.

**Arrested on Suspicion of Murder.**

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Nov. 7.—Two Italians, giving their names as James Ferro and Racci Rocco, have been arrested on suspicion of murdering John King, whose body was found on the railroad track Wednesday morning. Ferro says he slept with King Tuesday night, and that King got up between 4 5 o'clock Wednesday morning, and went away. He denies, however, that he knows anything about the manner of King's death. Both men are locked up pending examination.

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## PRESIDENT FONSECA.

### His Timely Action Prevents the Fruition of a

### CONSPIRACY TO RESTORE THE EMPIRE

Directed by Adherents of the Ex-Imperial Family, and Causes Disappointment in Certain Influential Circles in England—The Count Deu.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—A dispatch from Rio Janeiro says that President Fonseca assumed the supreme command barely in time to prevent the fruition of a conspiracy to restore the empire. This conspiracy is known to have strong European support, and has been directed in Brazil by adherents of the ex-imperial family who were leniently permitted to return to or to remain in this country. But for the president's action they would probably have attempted a coup d'etat within a few days. As it is, the Brazilian authorities are roused to the utmost vigilance, and both the army and navy are loyal to the republic. Several arrests have been made, and all those to whom treason can be brought home will be dealt with severely.

It is reported that the Count Deu, son-in-law of Dom Pedro, it at the botton of the present effort to undermine republican government in Brazil. The count, whose extraordinary arrogance and assumption had much to do with making the overthrow of Dom Pedro possible, has never been content to rest under the deprivation of his wife's magnificent inheritance. He is a thorough bourbon, and very pompous, without ability to sustain his claims to respect, and anxious to figure in the courts of royalty.

The count is known to have been in communication with Brazilian restorationists, and has been watched in behalf of the Brazilian government more closely than he supposed. It is not thought that Dom Pedro had any share in the conspiracy or even a knowledge of it. Da Fonseca's prompt action has undoubtedly caused some disappointment in certain influential circles of England, where the hope of restoration of the Brazilian monarchy has never been entirely surrendered.

### THE COMMERCIAL WORLD.

**The Week's Business and the Outlook, as Reported by R. G. Dun & Co.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

Reports from all parts of the country show that business has been healthy and large in volume. At Boston the failure of the Maverick bank caused some uneasiness, but business continues steady and healthy, and money is easy. The shoe trade is quiet with better prospects, the wool business fair with some concessions on large lots. Dry goods are more active and crude rubber is firm. At Hartford wool is in moderate demand, the dry goods trade not so good, the grocery trade excellent and hardware fair. At Philadelphia the grocery trade is large, wool is in better demand, with fewer concessions than for the past four months, the dry goods trade only fair, but a good volume of business has been done, and clothing has been liberally bought. The shoe trade is satisfactory, leather and paper active, tobacco in good shape, chemicals steady and firm with moderately fair trade in paints, oils and glass. At Cincinnati groceries improve and money fairly easy, and at Cleveland the outlook is good and the demand for money equals the supply. At Detroit trade is healthy without inflation, and the demand for money moderate. Western reports show the receipts of a phenomenal grain movement. At Chicago receipts of wheat and rye are three times last year's, the increase in dressed beef is 100 per cent, in oats and hides and wool 60 per cent, and in flour 11 per cent., while a decrease of a third appears in corn, a quarter in barley, one-half in cured meats, some decrease in cheese, butter and cattle, while lard receipts are but a quarter of last year's. Sales of dry goods, clothing and shoes are largely in excess of last year's, and money is in fair demand. At Milwaukee trade is good with confidence in all branches and money quite active. At St. Paul manufacturing is much stimulated by large crops, and money is easy; at Minneapolis the lumber trade is closing well at stiff prices, and the output of flour is 200,000 barrels against 104,000 last year; while at Duluth receipts of wheat in two months have exceeded those for the whole year of 1890. At St. Louis increased distribution is observed, and exchanges in October were the largest by $4,000,000 in any month in the history of the city. At Kansas City trade keeps in good shape, at Omaha is active, and at Denver improving. At Memphis business is still fair, at New Orleans cotton receipts are heavy, sugar receipts liberal and rice steady; at Savannah trade is good; at Atlanta in healthy condition, at Montgomery moderate; at Charleston brisk with large receipts of cotton, and at Jacksonville only fairly good. The only cities reporting monetary pressure are Omaha and Savannah. The iron industry, in spite of the lowest prices ever known for some products, shows no despondency, and the demand for manufactured iron and steel does not diminish. The copper trade is just now unsettled, but tin is slightly stronger, though lead is lower. Trade in cotton is not just now equal to last year's, but for the whole season thus far it has been considerably larger.

The business failures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days, number, for the United States, 223, and for Canada, 43, or a total of 266; as compared with a total of 255 last week, and 249 for the week previous to the last. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 215, representing 182 failures in the United States and 33 in the Dominion of Canada.

**The Way of the Transgressor was Hard, and Ended in Death.**

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 7.—A special from Memphis says: Pony Saunders, a well-known saloon keeper and politician, died in St. Joseph's hospital yesterday, of injuries inflicted by his wife. Last Wednesday Mrs. Saunders, suspecting her husband's infidelity, went to Pearl Willis' house and found him in the woman's room. She gave her a terrible beating. She returned home, and when her husband came in Mrs. Saunders heated a kettle of water. Mr. Saunders went to sleep, and was awakened by his wife pouring the boiling water on the lower part of his body. He was horrible scalded and taken to the hospital. He became delirious, and Thursday jumped from the second-story of the building, breaking both legs. His injuries resulted fatally yesterday.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

### A HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

**Eight Men Injured by a Delayed Blast—One of Them Killed.**

ALTOONA, Pa., Nov. 7.—Word was received yesterday evening of a most horrible accident that occurred 7 miles from Hastings, Cambria county, Thursday morning.

A number of Hungarians employed on the extension of a small railroad placed a number of heavy blasts, and lighting the fuses repaired to a place of safety. After an explosion the men again went to work, when one of the blasts, which had held fire, exploded with terrific force, blowing the men in all directions.

After the smoke had cleared away eight men were found lying under the debris and it was only after much labor that they were extricated. One of them had been instantly killed, while the others suffered from broken legs, arms and ribs. Two of them had crushed skulls and are in a precarious condition.

**The Exportation of Wheat from Famine-Stricken Russia.**

LONDON, Nov. 7. — Notwithstanding the Russian famine large quantities of Russian wheat continue to be imported to England, the amount rather exceeding that of last year. The reason of this is that to put a stop to the exportation would strike a blow at the commercial interests of Southern Russia which might in the end prove more calamitous than the famine. The prohibition of wheat was seriously meditated, and at one time intended by the czar's government; but the representations of the English and Russian firms at Odessa induced a change in the decree.

**Pitiable Plight of Returned Emigrants.**

LONDON, Nov. 6.—Eighteen distressed Brazilian emigrants have landed at Southampton. They went to Brazil from Bradford, Leeds, Sheffield, and other places in England. They tell harrowing stories of suffering. Nine of the party died in one day, and the survivors were too weak and sick to bury the bodies, which were pounced upon and partly devoured by vultures. The party, of which these eighteen are the remnant, left England in March last.

**Troubled About the Succession.**

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The St. James Gazette says that the liberals are greatly exercised over the question of succession to the party leadership on the retirement of Mr. Gladstone. So critical is the condition of Sir Wm. Vernon-Harcourt's eyes, the sight of one having been temporarily lost, while that of the other is threatened, that it is not thought he can become the successor of Mr. Gladstone or act as leader of his party in parliament.

**Saved Their Viceroy by Losing Their Heads.**

SHANG-HAI, Nov. 7.—Quite a number of Chinese have been beheaded at Wuchang, by order of the viceroy, for posting placards inciting to violence. Ever since the captain of the British gunboat Aspie notified the viceroy that in case of further attacks upon foreign residents the gunboat would shell his excellency's palace, comparative order has been maintained.

**Redmond, the Parnellite, Defeated.**

CORK, Nov. 6.—The election passed off quietly, thanks to the precautions of the authorities. The count will not take place until to-morrow, but it is admitted that the majority for Flavin, anti-Parnellite, is certainly 1,000 and probably 1,500. Mr. John E. Redmond, the Parnellite candidate, admits defeat, and attributes it to clerical intimidation.

**Traveling to Assuage His Grief.**

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The Servia has on her passenger list the Duc di Litta, a young Italian nobleman, who has recently lost his wife, and is making a tour of the world in order to assuage his grief.

A farmer near Albia, Iowa, by the name of J. H. Wolf, has found a sure cure for croup. He says: "For the last eight years I have recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for croup. Half of a fifty cent bottle will cure the worst case, if taken in time. On the 20th of this month, my boy, four years old, had the croup very bad and three doses cured him. I would not be without it in my family." If the remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, it will invariably prevent the croup. 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler.

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HENRY M. STANLEY.

Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, says that his trip through the dark forest was characterized by a curious instance of the evil influence upon the human system of the absence of the sun light. The slightest scratch upon the skin of one of his followers would be followed by ulcerous sores that would gangrene and finally result in the death of the victim. What is true of the dark forest is also true of pulmonary trouble, dyphtheria and kindred throat trouble which are the offsprings of dampness, too much shade, foul exhalations from sewers and cess pools. One of the best remedies for these troubles is Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure. It is in itself an anti-sceptic, is clean, purely wholesome, contains no poison, and is remarkably efficacious. For sale by all druggists.

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| Large Hatchets | 15 and 25c |
| Coal Hods | 30 and 35c |
| Tubs | 50 and 60c |
| Wood Pails, only | 14c |
| Baking Powder, worth 10c, only | 5c |
| Lamp Chimneys, best | 5c |
| Novelty Clothes Wringer, Worth $2.50. | $2.00 |
| Wire Clothes Lines | 30c |
| Horse Brushes | 15c |
| Wood Sugar Boxes | 8c up |
| "Never Break" Skillets | 38c |
| Flour Sifters, only | 20c |
| Wire Toasters | 5 and 10c |
| Folding Ironing Boards | 98c |
| Large Step Ladder | 75c |
| Bread Boards | 45c |
| House Brooms | 18c and 25c |
| All Copper Wash Boilers | $2.25 |
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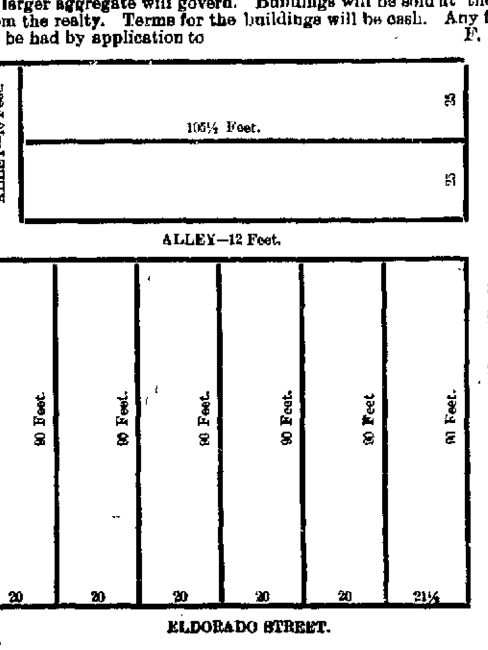

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SATURDAY EVE., NOV. 7, 1891.

ENGLAND grieves almost as much as the Democracy does over McKinley's election. Each is bit hard.

GEN. GREGG, who was elected Auditor General of the State of Pennsylvania on Tuesday, by a plurality little short of 70,000, was one of Sheridan's most effective calvary generals in the Army of the Potomac. It was he who stood for four hours like a wall and kept back the Confederate army after the battle of Cold Harbor while the rear of the Army of the Potomac crossed the James river at Harrison's landing, when Grant moved to invest Petersburg.

THE Decatur *Review* undertakes to read the Republicans a lecture on gerrymandering, wherein it says that inasmuch as New York has gone Democratic by 40,000 and the Legislature is close, it shows conclusively that the Republicans have made a fearful gerrymander of that state. The Prairie street organ forgets that out of 60 counties in New York, exclusive of New York and Kings county, under ordinary circumstances, there are but 12 that are Democratic. In such territory a gerrymander is simply impossible. The same is also true of Iowa, to which it refers.

THE Prohibition party in Massachusetts has been annihilated by the last election, so far as running a ticket hereafter is concerned. The law in Massachusetts requires a party to cast at least three per cent of the total vote. This the Prohibition party failed to do, and therefore, in the eyes of the law, it is not a party, and cannot be so recognized on a ticket. It lost 5,000 votes in the state on Tuesday. They probably voted the Democratic ticket upon the advice of Helen Gougar, who was one of the stumpers in the state in the interest of the Democratic party. If this theory be correct, Helen overdid the job.

THE folly of catering to mushroom isms for the purpose of securing votes is well demonstrated again in the Iowa election. The Republicans there with the view of securing the so-called farmers' votes nominated Wheeler, a farmer, for Governor. The fact that he is a farmer was not against him, but it secured none of the votes for which the party baited. Every Democratic farmer in Iowa who had been howling for farmer candidates for the past year voted for Lawyer Boies instead of Farmer Wheeler. The chances are that in case the Iowa Republicans had nominated a man who could have gone before the people as a stumping campaigner, whether he was a farmer or lawyer, would have secured more votes.

THE Chicago *Herald* is not pleased with the fact that its party put three or four saloonkeepers on its ticket in the Cook county election and speaks out as follows:

> The saloonkeeper is making himself too numerous as a candidate in our local elections. He is always on hand when a ticket is being made up, and, for reasons best known to the politicians, his calling rarely fails to secure several of the best places. This is an evil which afflicts both parties alike, and which the better elements of both parties should and do protest against. The Democratic ticket which was so badly beaten in this city and county last Tuesday was particularly afflicted in this respect. Democrats should bear the fact in mind on future occasions and let it act as a warning. There is no reason why the saloonkeeper should be very numerously represented in the city or county governments. His calling certainly does not especially fit him for office, and the impudence with which he thrusts himself upon the attention of the public is likely to be rebuked with increasing energy.

### Dont Like It.

The success of the Democratic party would please England greatly because the success of the party would take money and labor away from Americans and transfer them to England and the Democratic party are equally sorry over the election of Maj. McKinley. A London special says.

English views of the American elections seem almost confined to the result in Ohio. The success of McKinley is looked upon as a distinct grievance in the manufacturing districts and especially in Bradford and Sheffield, which places have been disastrously affected by the McKinley act. The defeat of McKinley would have been hailed with delight in Great Britain, and he would probably have figured in some of the Guy Fawke's cremation which are traditional to-day through England. His election obscures every other incident of the work in America. In the average English opinion McKinley is an ogre, actuated by relentless hatred of Great Britain, rather than by a desire to benefit the United States, and the Londoners would not be surprised to find his counterfeit among the waxen collection of wicked people that is famous on both continents.

### Disregarded the President Advice.

The following special from Washington is so full of propabitities as to its correctness that it is entitled to fair consideration. If the Republican party ever committed a blunder it was it the campaign in New York. The special referred to says:

In New York national issues were totally ignored, and it is said that this was done against the advice and request of the President himself. It is a secret so open that it is not at this time indiscreet to reveal to, that the President sent Private Secretary Halford to New York early in the campaign for the distinct purpose of impressing on Senator Platt the wisdom of making the Administration and its work the issue in the New York campaign. Mr. Halford pointed out what the Administration had done for the business men of New York. It had stood between the silver mine owners with their free-coinage bill and the commercial interests of New York, all of which were devoted to honest money, regardless of party lines. It has given the business world of New York new ports by the reciprocity feature of the tariff bill, which might be expected in time largely to swell the commerce of the metropolis. The farmer throughout the State was enjoying the beneficent effect of the tariff lay enacted under this Administration.

Instead, however, of making these features of the national administration more prominent in the campaign, the Republican managers in New York chose to make the Tammany tiger the most prominent and picturesque element of their battle. The fight was made against the undeniable corruption of Tammany Hall and the defects of its local administration. The rural voters were made to beleave that the State's election was a question of muncipal government in New York City, and the strengthing or overthrown of a local political organization. The President, it is understood, not only regrets as a Republican the defeat of Fassett, but he regards the loss of New York as directly attributable to the ignoring by the party managers there of the advice which he sent them at least six weeks ago.

THE political doctors may talk and speculate upon the question as to whom the credit of the McKinley tariff law, reciprocity and all is due, but every fair minded man will admit, that had it not been for Thomas B. Reed's courage and foresight by which the rules of the House were amended so that when quorums were present they should be counted, we would now have neither the McKinley law, reciprocity, nor the Ship Subsidy bill, all of which are measures in the interest of American business and American labor.

CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW says that when he spoke in the recent campaign in New York he observed that whenever he touched on national issues he always got a warm response from his audience, and in his opinion had the Republicans made the campaign in that state on national issues the state would have been won by them.

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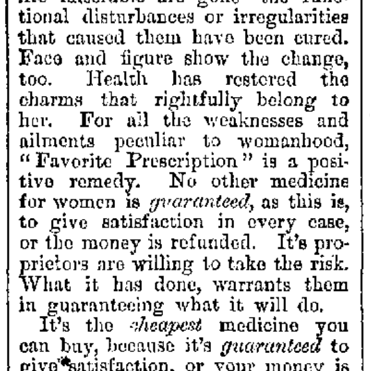

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WANTED—A good girl to do general housework. Apply at 671 Prairie Avenue. 6d6

TAKE NOTICE—Some bargains in farm lands. Also money at 6 per cent on best city and county property. John A. Brown. no6dtf

FOR SALE—A first-class hard coal base burner. For particulars inquire of DAVID MARTIN, at 687 North Morgan street. Nov. 2-d1w.

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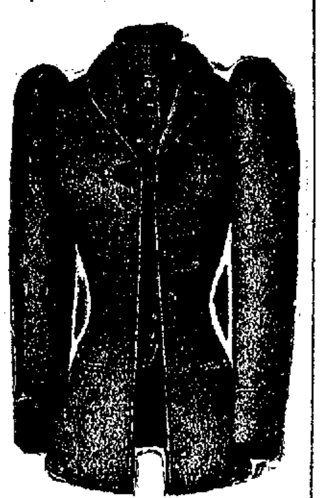

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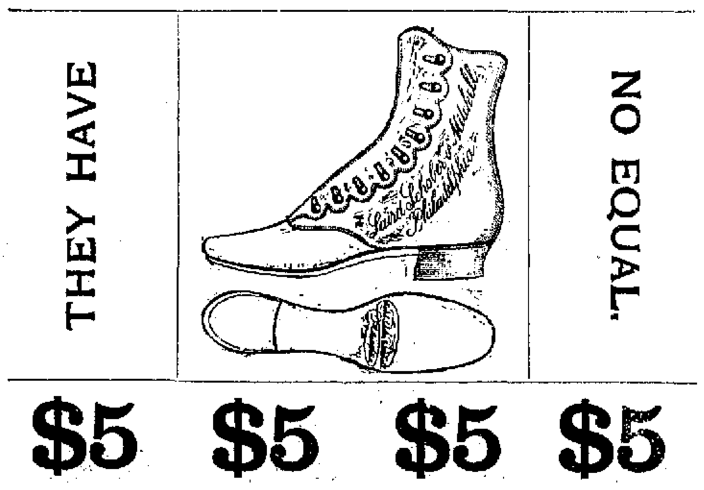

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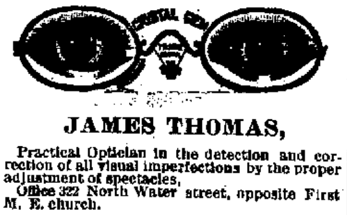

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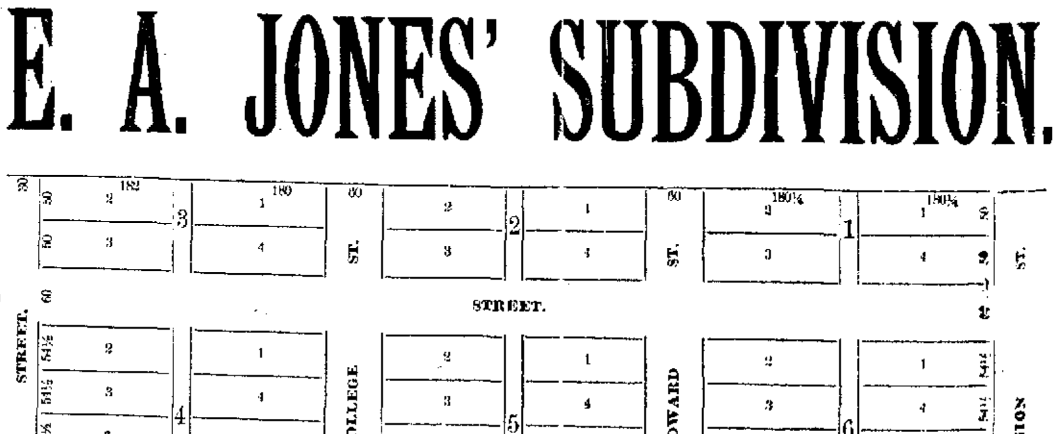

The above lots are situated in the northwest part of the city and adjoining May & Traver's Subdivision. They are the highest lots in or round about the city of Decatur, commanding a view of the city not surpassed or equaled by any lots. The only cheap thing about the lots is the price. Any person desirous of making money, or securing a pleasant home where they can enjoy the fresh air unmingled with the fumes of coal dust, should call on Jesse Leforgee & Son, who will take great pleasure in showing the lots. Don't buy until you investigate this addition or you may regret it for all time and eternity. No trouble to show the lots. Come one, come all.

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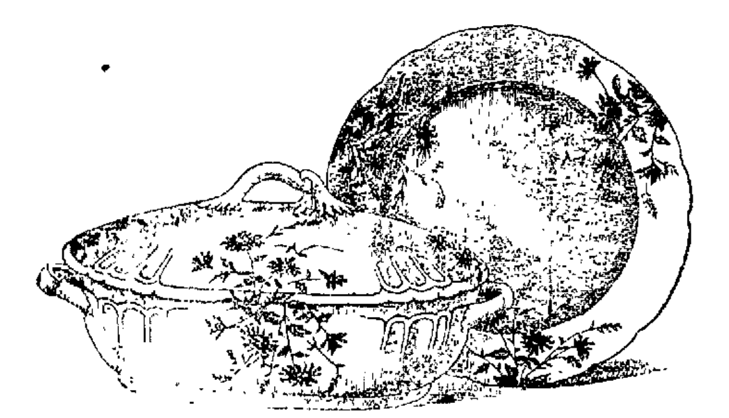

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146 East Prairie Street, East of Post Office.

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A kernel of corn laid up on a beam in the barn will not grow. It will become covered with dirt, will wither away and the germ will die. A kernel of corn planted will grow and produce an ear. The kernels on the ear, if they in turn are planted, will produce a pile of ears. The pile of ears will contain thousands of kernels. This will be the result of the forethought in planting the first kernel. It is just so with accumulating money. Thirteen cents a day invested in the EQUITABLE BUILDING AND LOAN SOCIETY OF PEORIA will grow in ten years to One Thousand Dollars. This re-invested in prepaid stock will grow in 5 years and 4 months to $1800. This again re-invested will grow in 5 years and 4 months longer to $3,300. Total original investment, $190.

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### WABASH EXCURSIONS.

THE Wabash R. R. will run a special excursion train to Danville on account of the dedication of the Catholic school on next Sunday, Nov. 8th. Train will leave Decatur at 7:15 a. m. arriving at Danville at 9 15 a. m., and returning train will leave Danville at 6 p. m. arriving at Decatur at 8 30 p. m. Fare for the round trip $1.50. For further particulars enquire of C. A. POLLOCK, P. & T. agent Wabash R. R.
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Fancy Winter Apples at $2.50 per barrel.
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SATURDAY EVE., NOV. 7, 1891.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

LUNCH at Wood's.

GREAT fun at the opera house to-night.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

FINE lunches and good dinners at Combs' restaurant.

SALTED almonds at Wood's.

USE the White Loaf and Daily Bread flour, made by Shellabarger.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25-dtf

EARLY next week Sheriff Perl will take the sentenced prisoners to Joliet.

DECATUR Christian Endeavorers made a hit at the state convention at Peoria yesterday.

LARGE and complete assortment of fruits every day at May & Churchman's grocery store.

IT was Elmer Childers and not Charles Borley who paid a fine in Justice Curtis' court for assault.

OYSTERS by the can and in bulk at May & Churchman's grocery store.

GOSPEL meeting in the Young Men's Christian Association rooms at 3:30 p. m. Sunday. All men invited.

CALL for the Michl Bouquet and Little Rose cigars. They are popular with smokers.

BLANK & GRASS is the place to buy your Paints, Wall Paper and Window Shades. apr25-dtf

EXCELLENT country butter and buckwheat flour at Cool Bros.' model grocery store, 217 North Main street.

BEAUTIFUL MANTELS, at very reasonable prices, at Lytle & Eckels Hardware Company. tf

COURT will be in session again on Monday, when Judge Vail will give his decision in the Macon injunction case.

STRICTLY pure candies, at living prices at Harry's Kandy Kitchen.

HARRY STALEY, one of the prize league pitchers of the Boston pennant team, was in the city last night and to-day greeting his many Decatur friends. Harry is in excellent trim and will go with Boston next season.

USE Decatur nut coal at $1.30 per ton, delivered. Send orders by telephone. Call up Nos. 89, 109 or 227. oct12-dtf

THE Catholic fair will begin November 17 and last four evenings. Contestants for a chair, Dr. Catto and I. R. Mills. Various valuable articles have been donated.

DON'T throw your money away buying inferior instruments, but select the boss pianos,—the Haines Upright, the Sterling and Everetts, on sale only at C. B. Prescott's parlor.

SANDWICHES and coffee at Wood's.

THE grocery store of Hanks & Co., 143 South Water street, has been renovated nicely. Note the changes and their excellent supplies. Place your orders.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

THE weak doors at the postoffice building have been repaired at the expense of D. W. Brenneman, the owner. The government pays $900 a year for the use of the room.

MRS. SEDGWICK'S juvenile classes in dancing will have their first lesson on Wednesday afternoon, November 11, at half-past 4 o'clock. Evening beginners' class on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Further notice will be given to second year class. 7-d2

Now it is in order for corn husking matches to begin. Abe Eisminger and Jacob Brest will go against each other at Elkhart to decide a wager of $160 as to who can husk the most corn in 12 consecutive hours.

THE combination of ingredients found in Ayer's Pills renders them tonic and curative as well as cathartic. For this reason they are the best medicine for people of costive habit, as they restore the natural action of the bowels, without debilitating.

THURSDAY night Presiding Elder Geo. E. Scringer and wife, of the Danville district, were given a reception at the First church, Danville, when they met a large number of the christian people of the community. Remarks were made by Rev. Chas. Crane, Rev. Horace Reed and Rev. B. D. Wiley.

WITH the 19th century dawned the era of wonders. It has also proven an era of surprise—for notwithstanding its giant strides toward knowledge, we are told that there are still in some places, few citizens who have not heard of Salvation Oil.

Be on time, for prevention is better than cure. All coughs and colds, throat and lung effections, are cured by Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Only 25 cts.

THE people of Hawaii, according to Dr. Mott Smith, of Honolulu, would like to be annexed to the United States.

### How to Succeed.

This is the great problem of life which few satisfactorily solve. Some fail because of poor health, others want of luck, but the majority from deficient grit—want of nerve. They are nervous, irresolute, changeable, easily get the blues and "take the spirits down to keep the spirits up," thus wasting money, time, opportunity and nerve force. There is nothing like the Restorative Nervine, discovered by the great specialist, Dr. Miles, to cure all nervous diseases as headache, the blues, nervous prostration, sleeplessness, neuralgia, St. Vitus dance, fits, and hysteria. Trial bottles and book of testimonials free at W. C. Armstrong's. bm

### Gunsmithing.

While in St. Louis we secured the services of James Tuttle, a first class gunsmith, and we are now prepared much better than before to do all kinds of repair work on short order. Our repair shop is now operated by two excellent gunsmiths and one bicycle repairer. We guarantee our work and solicit your orders.
H. MUELLER & SONS,
oct24-d1m 138 Merchant Street.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

## VERDICT OF THE JURY.

### The Story of Harry Ogden's Death Told by Witnesses.

THE VERDICT.

Coroner Bendure did not finish the inquest on the body of Harry Ogden at the Bullard rooms until nearly four o'clock yesterday afternoon. Eight witnesses were examined. They added nothing of special interest in connection with the saloon tragedy other than was given in the account published in the REPUBLICAN last evening. Here is the verdict of the jury:

THE VERDICT.

In the matter of the inquisition on the body of Harry Ogden, deceased, held at Decatur, Ill., on the 6th day of November, A. D. 1891: We, the undersigned jurors, sworn to inquire of the death of Harry Ogden, on oath do find that he came to his death by a blow from a deadly weapon, said weapon being an open knife in the hands of a person identified, but to us by name unknown, that the blade of said knife penetrated the body of said Harry Ogden four inches below and one inch and one-quarter to the left of a vertical line below the left nipple, and extending inward and downward toward the median line of the body. The wound which caused the death of said Harry Ogden was inflicted in the saloon of Zach Melhorn at 218 East Main street, Decatur, Ill., at about 9 o'clock, Thursday evening, November 5, 1891.

H. D. HEIL, Foreman.
W. F. CALHOUN.
R. A. NEWELL.
EMIL F. YOUNG.
W. E. R. KELL.
E. S. BAKER.

The first witness examined was Will Dunham, who was very anxious to be put on the stand first, so he could get away on the first train for Taylorville. He testified that he had spent the afternoon of Thursday with Ogden. They had driven about the city in one of Dimock's buggies. After 8 o'clock in the evening witness and Ogden visited the Robinson poker room over the Melhorn saloon. Ogden fell asleep in a chair, and Dunham engaged in a game of poker with Will Kramer and two strangers. Witness got into an altercation with Kramer, who was ordered out of the place, Ogden awoke, and all went down the back stairway, Heard Ogden say as they passed down, "I'll get him." Witness did not enter the saloon at once, but when he opened the door he saw Ogden and one of the strangers exchanging blows in front of the bar. Witness thought he could identify the man with whom Ogden was fighting.

Harry Hathaway, who held Dunham until the party left the room, confirmed what Dunham had said about Ogden being quiet in the poker room, and witness described the two strangers as Meloy and his friend. Ogden did not say anything in the room except to ask Hathaway to let Dunham go.

Zach Melhorn, proprietor of the saloon where Ogden was killed, saw Ogden in the saloon at 8:30 the night of the murder; saw him pass through to the rear. Half an hour later he re-entered the saloon from the rear, closely following two strangers, who were near the front door on their way out. Heard Ogden make a threat as he came in, and say, "Hold on, I'll get both of you!" Ogden ran and overtook the two men beyond the screen door, and a fight began. Ogden and the man of sandy complexion pressed back in front of the bar, and each struck the other, but no words were uttered. There were four or five blows exchanged. The stranger gave an underhand blow, when he left through the rear door. Witness did not see any weapons until after Ogden fell, when he saw an open knife on the floor. Ogden had walked to a point near the stove, when he said: "I believe I'm hurt," and then he passed back to the front of the bar, when he fell on the floor and expired.

Will B. Kramer testified that he had been playing poker in the Robinson room with Dunham and the two strangers, and then he repeated the quarrel about the game in which he won $1.25. Dunham had 35 cents in the "pot." Dunham jumped up with a threat, and Hathaway held him. I was ordered out, and I left. Think the two strangers went down the stairway ahead of me. As I passed out of the front door of the saloon I heard some one call out from the inside, "I'll get you." Did not see Ogden in room up stairs.

Adam Melhorn, John Melhorn and John Wallace, who were in the saloon that evening playing cards, corroborated Zach Melhorn's testimony as to what Ogden said and his manner when he entered from the rear. John and Adam Melhorn saw the "scrap" in front of the bar, and first saw Ogden strike the first blow. They saw the stranger pass through to the rear after the separation and in his hand was an open knife with a blade seemingly about four inches long. They also saw the knife on the floor and described it accurately.

John Owens, foreman at C. M. Caldwell's livery stable, where Ogden was employed, failed to positively identify the knife alleged to be Ogden's. He knew the knife in question had a cork screw on the back, but he thought the hinge was at the end instead of in the middle. He said Skinny Rankin had sold Ogden the knife. Witness could not identify the single bladed knife which had been found in a pocket of Ogden's trousers.

NO ARREST.

Robert Meloy is the man supposed to have killed Ogden. The police have failed to learn anything as to his whereabouts. When located he will be promptly arrested.

OGDEN'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of Harry Ogden will take place from Janes' Chapel Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

### A Little Girl's Experience in a Lighthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter, four years old. Last April she was taken down with Measles, followed with a dreadful Cough and turning into a Fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated her, but in vain, she grew rapidly worse, until she was a mere "handful of bones."—Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get a trial bottle free at King & Wood's drug store. 6m

"TALK of paying as you go! Isn't the whole solar system one tremendous borrowing. Don't the moon and planets borrow all their light from the sun?" "Yes; but they have the advantage of going to one that can make the needed rays."

MY wife was so badly afflicted with rheumatism as to be unable to move in bed without assistance. Our druggist, Mr. Laddamus, recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which greatly relieved her. We have used six bottles at various times, and would not be without it at hand.—JAS. COLEMAN, Lowell, Neb. 50 bottles, sold by W. F. Neisler, druggist.

### "O'Dowd's Neighbors."

Mark Murphy is clever. He is a genius, for he has concluded that it is impossible for a star, no matter how strong he is, to carry a show with a poor company; so he has set "O'Dowd's Neighbors" with a grand opera cluster of voices, and as a result the singing is said to be simply superb. Fred Lucier and his wife, Helia Archmere, are now in this company, and have brought to Mr. Murphy a gem in the way of a soubrette, Miss Ollie Archmere. The Little Duchess here is a soubrette who can sing, dance and act, as John Russell, Hoyt and Thomas, and many other managers know. Besides, her voice is fit for grand opera, and her acting on the style of Lotta. Miss Archmere has a repertoire of twenty operas. "O'Dowd's Neighbors" deserves the original name of an operatic comedy, in fact that is the only title that would in any way describe it. This evening Murphy and his clever company will be seen at the Grand, and he should be greeted by a crowded house.

### Prince Karl 2:26½.

Harry Himmelwright left yesterday for Chicago to bring the trotting stallion, Prince Karl, the property of R. E. Pratt of Chicago, to Decatur. The Prince has finished his first season's trotting, and his owner has every reason to feel proud of the result. He started in a number of races in Michigan and Illinois, winning several and in nearly every case got a place and part of the money, finishing at Kankakee on Thursday, where he obtained a record of 2:26½. He is a son of Sheppard's Commander, by Dictator, and Dam by Regalia, by Jay Gould. The Prince will arrive in Decatur on Sunday morning and will be in charge of Mr. Himmelwright during the winter.

### The Bankers.

There are nearly 700 bankers in the state, and nearly all have become members of the Illinois State Association of Bankers. Thomas S. Ridgeway, of Shawneetown, is president, and E. D. Keys, of Springfield, secretary and treasurer. The following is the executive council: J. A. King, Chicago; J. R. Walsh, Chicago; E. G. Keith, Chicago; G. B. Shaw, Chicago; Emery Cobb, Kankakee; T. W. Halliday, Cairo; D. M. Funk, Bloomington; H. H. Harris, Champaign; M. B. Castle, Sandwich; J. Millikin, Decatur; S. M. Warner, Centralia; S. H. Jones, Springfield; F. W. Tracy, Springfield; Henry Tubbs, Monmouth; Charles B. Cole, Chester.

### "The Devil's Auction"

The costuming of an elaborate spectacular production in these days of stage gorgeousness, is a most stupendious undertaking. Take the famous "Devil's Auction" for instance, one of the greatest success in this line upon the American stage. A gentleman well versed in playhouse affairs states that owner and controller William G. Gilmore has this piece alone provided over four hundred separate and complete costumes, all of them having been manufactured from special designs. Many of the principals in the new "Devil's Auction" wear at least a dozen dresses during a performance, while there is a constant change for the chorus, ballet and auxiliaries. The play will be seen at the Grand next Thursday night.

### News from Macon.

Mrs. Peeper is very sick.

Leonard Stehr's nice new cottage is about completed.

Mr. Samuel Alexander is erecting a nice new dwelling.

L. E. Lawley conducts a writing class three nights in every week. Those who are under Lou's instructions will evidently be benefited.

Mrs. Jas. G. Griffeth, who died of heart disease last Thursday, will be buried in the Macon cemetery to-day.

And Macon has no water yet.

A case of injunction against the city council is pending in court. We are great to go "according to law."

"Corn is king," and the farmers are making use of the fine weather.

There is talk of a Decatur photographer starting a branch gallery in Macon.

Miss Ida Willoughby, of Lebanon, and Miss Ellen Murphy, of Summerville, are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. A. Beschle has sold his hardware store to an F. M. B. A. firm which will put in a big stock of all kinds of goods. Z.

AFTER FORTY YEARS.—"My father had a fever sore on his leg for forty years; but has been permanently cured by Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment, after trying all other remedies in vain," says Mr. S. Whiterell, a gun of locksmith, at Fort Madison, Iowa. He further says: "The spot where the sore was, is now perfectly clean as any other part. He used three 25 cent boxes in all." ANOTHER!—Mr. D. A. Barr, Druggist, Blackburn, Mo., says: "I have personal knowledge of a case of chronic sore eyes of many years standing, having been cured by Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. The party was Mr. Seth Moore, north of this place." Mr. Moore says the ointment was worth more than a thousand dollars to him. It cost him 25 cents. For sale by W. F. Neisler, druggist.

### Why?

Taste of "Royal Ruby Port Wine" and you will know why we call it "Royal." A glass held up to the light will show why we call it Ruby. $500 reward for any bottle of this wine found under five years old. It is grand in sickness, or where a strengthening cordial is required; recommended by physicians. Sold only in quart bottles. Price, $1. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

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DR. REED'S foot lotion cures offensive perspiration; sold at Irwin's Pharmacy. oct29-dtf

FIVE chairs and five first class barbers at A. T. Grist's Opera House Barber Shop. Hot and cold baths. n2d1m

## OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

Miss Breckinridge, daughter of W. C. P. Breckinridge, is studying law to become her father's law partner.

The military cloak and toque to match of the same material as the gown complete the fall costumes. On cool days a feather boa is a suitable stylish addition.

A new trimming will be rings of black velvet upon the bottom of light colored reception gowns, which will be ornamented on the corsage with braces of the same rich material.

A singular and trying combination of colors affected by some of the gown makers and milliners is grass green and light yellow. This will hardly prove popular, as even the prettiest woman would hardly find it becoming.

Shirt waists will continue in popular favor with the fall and winter gowns for house wear. When made of silk or bright colored woolen stuffs they are pretty to be worn either with skirts of gay plaids or a solid color. Belts of folded sash ribbon are the proper finish for such costumes.

Cheap chamois gloves, that are so fashionable for street or business use, when soiled may be made to look like new in the following way: Wash them in tepid soft water, using plenty of white Castile soap; pull them out straight, pass them them through a wringer, rinse them in water of the same temperature, straightening them passing through the wringer again. Shake them out well and hang to dry in a cool, shady place.

To suspend one's skirts in wet weather make a belt large enough to go around the waist outside of dress. Fasten to this at regular intervals four tapes, perhaps eight or ten inches long, and on the end of each tape place a large safety pin. The contrivance may be carried always in a waterproof or mackintosh pocket, and with its aid a dress can be easily lifted, and as high as desired. If black tapes and belt are used they will not look bad, even if no waterproof is worn.

SOUP SETS,
PUDDING SETS,
DINNER SETS,
ROAST SETS,
At O. E. Curtis & Bro.'s China Department.

For Thanksgiving.

### A Fatal Mistake.

Physicians make no more fatal mistake than when they inform patients that nervous heart troubles come from the stomach and are of little consequence. Dr. Franklin Miles, the noted Indian specialist, has proven the contrary in his new book on "Heart Disease," which may be had free at W. C. Armstrong's, who guarantees and recommends Dr. Miles' unequaled New Heart Cure, which has the largest sale of any heart remedy in the world. It cures nervous and organic heart disease, short breath, fluttering, pain or tenderness in the side, arm or shoulder, irregular pulse, fainting, smothering, dropsy, etc. His Restorative Nervine cures headache, fits, etc. bm

"YES," said the sensible girl, "she's an heiress, but I'm afraid she doesn't know how to husband her resources." "O, yes, she does," was the reply. "She's engaged to be married now."

### The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c at King & Wood's Drug Store. 6m

### Master in Chancery's Sale.

State of Illinois, } In the Circuit Court.
Macon County. }

Lincoln Steel } No. 13882.
vs. } Bill for Foreclosure.
Yates Steel et al. }

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, rendered in the above entitled case at the September term of said court, A. D. 1891, I, James J. Finn, Master-in-Chancery of said Court, will on

*Wednesday, November 25, 1891,*

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the west outside entrance to the Circuit Court room, in the city of Decatur, in said County, offer for sale, subject to redemption, according to law, and subject to the approval of the Court, at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, the lands mentioned in said decree and described as follows, to-wit:

All of that part of the southeast quarter (¼) of section thirty-two (32), township fifteen (15) north, range two (2), east of the 3rd principal meridian, lying west of the right of way of the Illinois Central railroad, except lots Nos. ten (10) and eleven (11) of block two (2) of Steel's addition to Macon, situated in Macon county, Illinois, subject to a certain mortgage of Clifford M. Anthony, trustee, mentioned in said decree, which mortgage the purchaser will assume to pay at maturity.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 2d day of November, A. D. 1891.

JAMES J. FINN,
Master in Chancery.

I. D. WALKER, Solicitor.

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### Divorce Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court to the January Term, A. D. 1892.

Elizabeth Cross vs. Abel W. Cross—Divorce.

Affidavit of the non-residence in this state of the said Abel W. Cross, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said Abel W. Cross that the above named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said Court, on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next term of said Court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur in said Macon county on the second Monday in the month of January, 1892. Now, unless you, the said Abel W. Cross, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true, and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

B. I. STERRETT, Sol. for Complainant.

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# WE HAVE

"Got Them on the List."

Names of parties for whom Lytle & Eckels and THE LYTLE & ECKELS HARDWARE Co. have put in FURNACES since January, 1889:

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Chas. Murphy, "
Chas. T. Haigh, "
Mrs. Whitsit, "
S. M. Irwin, "
G. P. Hardy, "
G. P. Blume, "
Congregational Church, "
J. M. Dodd, "
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A. H. Cope, Decatur.

M. Troutman, "
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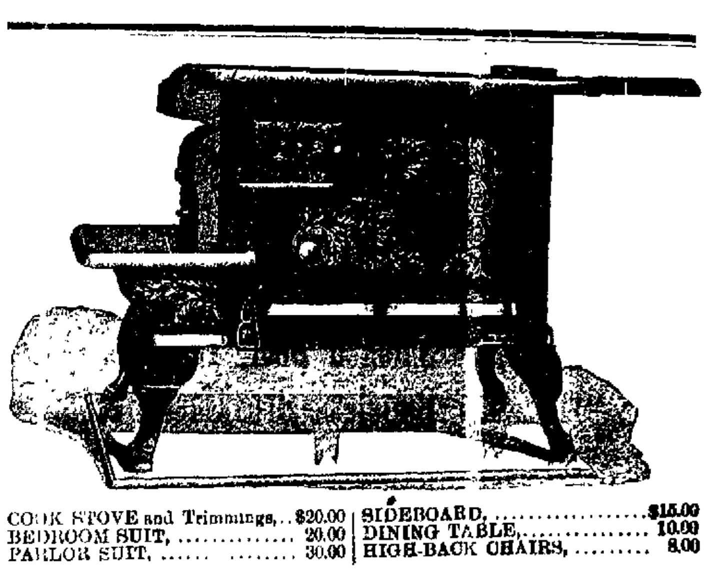

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Our store was flooded by the bursting of water pipes overhead and soaked $2,000 worth of Choice Clothing, which we will dispose of AT YOUR OWN PRICES. The goods are perfect excepting the water. Come and get your choice at your own price.

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JOHN FINN offers the following Bargains to Spot Cash purchasers during this week:

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| 26 lbs. C Sugar | $1 00 |
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| 2 " Succotash, best, per can | 15c |
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| 2 " Marrowfat Peas, 4 cans | 25c |
| Alaska Salmon, per can | 10c |
| Columbia River Salmon, per can | 15c |
| 5 cans Oil Sardines for | 25c |
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SATURDAY EVE., NOV. 7, 1891.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST.

HAVE you seen those Memory Jars at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co's?

Hoop of Gold.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

SALTED almonds at Wood's.

OYSTERS by the can at Wood's.

LOWNEY'S fine chocolates at Woods'.

TEETH, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists.

NEW YORK COUNTS, man's size, at Singleton's.

PURE CANDIES at Harry's Kandy Kitchen.

CALL for the delicious Ehrhart & Co candies.

VISIT the Kandy Kitchen, north end Central Block.

DENTZ & SON, contracting brick layers, 123 Merchant st. Jan14-dtf

TRY the Ehrhart & Co. Decatur made candies. They are excellent.

OYSTERS, raw, stewed or fried, at Wood's, 142 Merchant street.

THE traveling men will meet to-night at the rooms in Haworth Block.

FRUITS for canning in quantities to suit at May & Churchman's grocery store.

TELEPHONE to 89, 109 or 227 for Decatur nut coal, at $1.30 per ton, delivered.

THE Decatur agent for the Remington Standard Typewriter is J. J. H. Young, at the REPUBLICAN office. dtf

SOUP SETS—13 pieces for $2. You never saw them as nice for $5 in this city.
OTTO E CURTIS & BRO.

ABEL'S CARPET HOUSE is closing out remnants of carpets, oil cloth and wall paper at less than value. o19dawlm

ASK confectioners and grocers for the Geo. W. Ehrhart & Co. candies. They are the boss. All made in Decatur.

G. M. ASHMORE and G. W. Spitler, of Mt. Zion, will place on the Decatur market a lot of fine apples early next week.

WE HAVE A SPECIAL ROOM for Toilet Wares and show more sets and a greater variety of price than the "crockery" store. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

FRUITS for canning and preserves, fresh country butter and spring chickens are specialties at May & Churchman's grocery store.

THE Rev. E. W. McIntosh has been confined to his residence for a week past very ill with spinal trouble, contracted in Jeff Davis' boarding house at Andersonville.

LOWELL carpets, bodies and ingrains the handsomest and best in the United States, received direct from the mills by Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Company.

PUDDING SETS—3 Pieces, also extra linings, *in Fine China;* Golden Rod and 25 other decorations, at prices you never heard of before. You will want one Thanksgiving Day.
OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

BOTH air and water abound in microbes, or germs of disease, ready to infect the debilitated system. To impart that strength and vigor necessary to retain the effect of these pernicious atoms, no tonic blood-purifier equals Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

MR. AND MRS. EWING of Decatur stopped over night in Clinton Tuesday, and made brief calls on several of their acquaintances. Mrs. Ewing is a sister of Mrs. Seeforth; her husband was in the jewelry business here several years ago. They are making a tour of the country on bicycles and will visit Bloomington and Peoria.—*Clinton Republic.*

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr and Mrs. F. O. Damrow are in Chicago visiting friends.

Miss Kate Smith, of Bethany, is in the city visiting friends to-day.

E. L. Waggoner of Boise City, Idaho, is a guest at the St. Nicholas.

Miss Minnie Nichols, of Petoka, Ill., is the guest of Mrs. E. C. Foster.

Dr. E. J. Brown visited Forsyth yesterday on professional business.

Troy Alexander, of Hume, is in the city visiting his parents. He will remain in the city over Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Race returned yesterday from Minneapolis, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. G. D. Thomas.

Mrs. George R. Steele has returned from Belleville, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Wangelin.

Mrs. Frank Paine, who has been visiting relatives in Newark, N. J., for several months past, arrived home last night.

Miss Maria Bassett, of St. Joseph, Mo., arrived in the city to-day to visit her cousin, Mrs. E. J. Brown, of West North street.

Erskine Guyton, who has been at Buffalo, North Dakota, visiting relatives for several months past, arrived home last evening.

Mrs. R. L. Walston left last night for Auburndale, Mass., to visit her daughter, Miss Anna, who is attending La Salle Seminary.

E. E. Johnson returned to-day from a two months successful business trip through Illinois, Iowa, Kansas and the west in the interest of F. B. Tait & Co.

Guy Jonison is seriously ill with typhoid fever at his home, 523 Spring avenue. He came down from Chicago two weeks ago, and has since been confined to his bed.

J. L. Stout departed last night for Mt. Vernon, Ohio, where he will visit his mother. He will then go to Newark, Ohio, where his wife is visiting. Both will return within two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Ewing left on Tuesday afternoon on their bicycles for Bloomington. They made the trip in seven running hours, after a pleasant visit with L. M. Graham and family, Mrs. J. L Snell and other Bloomington friends; they returned home last evening.

### SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC.

Special communication of Macon Lodge No. 8, A. F. & A. M., this (Saturday) evening at 7 o'clock sharp, for work in the First Degree. All members are urged to be present.
I. A. BUCKINGHAM, W. M.
WM. L. HAMMER, Sec'y.

PYTHIAN SISTERS.

Regular meeting of Myrtle Temple No. 2, P. S., at Cœur de Leon Castle hall, K. P., on Monday evening at 7 o'clock.
MRS. JENNIE HAWS, M. E. C.
MRS. LOU J. WISMER, M. of C.

## WILL MEET IN DECATUR.

### The 1892 State Endeavor Convention—Come On.

Decatur sent a large delegation of Christian Endeavor workers to Peoria yesterday to attend the state convention of Illinois societies and invite the association to hold its next convention in Decatur. The invitation was accepted, and the date fixed for June 9, 1892. I. N. Martin, jr., president of the Decatur Union, delivered his address, as did also the other members of the Decatur societies on the special program. The state secretary and treasurer read the annual report, which showed among other facts that the state membership is 26,631, the number of societies 433, and number of denominations represented 21. Annual receipts $1045, and expenditures $1100.

The free-will offering, amounting to $1,000, was made by the various societies represented and by individuals.

The nominating committee reported the following officers for the ensuing year:

President—C. B. Holdredge, of Bloomington.
Vice President—Miss Ida M. Brooks, of Chicago.
Secretary and Treasurer—Joseph E. Callender, Peoria.
Auditor—D. A. Strader, of Decatur.
Directors—A. T. Hemmingway, Oak Hill; T. B. Nesbit, Evanston; Miss Clara Walker, Peoria; H. L. Strain, Galesburg; Miss Florence Dutfield, Chicago; M. S. Appleby, Jacksonville; C. F. Mills, Springfield; F. E. Bowman, Bloomington; Boring Burrows, Decatur; Charles Austin, Litchfield H. A. Spooner, Chicago; La Rue Vredenburgh, Springfield; F. D. Rugg, Champaign; Anna Henkle, Decatur; John C. Wilden, Chicago.

DECATUR'S DELEGATES.

The Peoria *Transcript* publishes the following list of Decatur Endeavors as present at the convention yesterday:

Myra Hockaday, Philip Hammon, Lulu M. Jones, Maggie Lusk, Edna Patton, J. Record, Carrie Shoets, Ella Myers, Flora Battles, Mrs. G. W. Battles, Grace Peniwell, Mrs. W. F. Peniwell Helene Hieckish, Nellie Record, R. J. Oram, Maud Foster, Mrs. D. L. McGinnis, Mina Nicholson, Mary Muirhead, Eva Logan, Lillian Imra, Mrs. H. M. Kernidler, Cora Downey, Leonette L. Johnson, Mrs. William Cooper, W. E. Mann, Louise Maris, Fred E. Mann, Ethel Dimock, Nettie C. Pritchett, I. N. Martin, Jr., Maude Barnes, Eunice Thomas, F. O. Riggs, Nita E. Clark, John W. Thomas, Mrs. R. J. Simpson, T. W. Cann, Ella B. Davis, Mamie B. Simon, Virginia N. Odor, Clara E. Reeme, Lissa Jones, Ada S. Pritchard, Ida J. Humphrey, Eva Humphrey, Mrs. Frank Reddy, Alice Tyler, Jessie Colaket, Hattie J. Brown, Minnie C. Davis, D. A. Strader, J. C. Ehrhart, Nellie E. Hubbard, Myrtle Reeme, Lillian Corman, Annabel Henkle, May B. Aiken, Frank B. Bean, Rev. C. T. Rogers, Kate I. Aiken, Maud L. Calhoun, Carrie M. Whitehurst, Irene H. Yune, Mrs. R. W. Woodward, Mrs. P. C. Tynor, Albert Mann, S. T. Curtis, Mrs. H. B. Smith, C. W. Lowman, Isaac H. Pugh, J. W. Burrams, Leon Livingston, C. A. Drosback, Nettie Gay, Abbie A. Pratt, Mrs. E. M. Carter, Jessie L. Angell, Bertha Gray, Mrs. T. T. Van Allen, Mrs. C. M. Lytle, Carrie Clark, Mrs. Rukenbrod, Edith M. Lytle, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. A. V. Espy, C. B. Ellis, Sadie E. Heckel, Albert H. Jones, Mrs. D. Bishop, H. Baldridge, Mary L. Clark, Margaret Kelley, William F. Martin, I. J. Heckel, Mrs. W. F. Chambers, Maggie Sanders, Mary Lindsay, Emma Cichtenberger, George C. Ondino, Maude Espy, A. G. Wilson, R. Z. Sweney, Saml. Clark, S. S. Wallace, Marie Sanders, W. E. Skinner, Mrs. Jennie Sanders, Ada E. Clark, E. H. Joffres, Mrs. E. H. Joffres, Lizzie Drobish, Hugh Hone, Will Schenck.

## THAT OVERCOAT.

### Meloy Struck to Kill Every Time—The Rents.

This forenoon the REPUBLICAN reporter had a look at the M. M. Potter overcoat worn by Buff Ogden Thursday night when he was in the fight with Bob Meloy and received the fatal stab in the side. The witnesses of the fight agree that both men were exchanging rapid blows. The coat bears four ugly cuts on the left side, showing that Meloy went at Ogden to kill him. On the shoulder there is a cut eight inches long extending down the arm. Below the elbow there is a cut through the lining and on the cuff there is a cut clear through the lining. The fatal stab was an under handed blow, the knife entering the side at the lower part of the upper left hand pocket of the coat. The cut is the width of the knife blade, showing that Meloy struck the last blow to kill, and the thrust accomplished its purpose. The coat was returned to Mr. Potter this morning.

### $2,000 Worth of Clothing Damaged

Last night the water pipe in the living apartments of C. R. Spore burst and the water ran down through the floor into the clothing store of Jones, Bryan & Co., and damaged goods to the extent of $2,000. Officer Stober and Lawrence discovered the water running into the store and with the assistance of Officer Connard stopped the leakage in the pipes. The proprietors of the store are busy to-day drying out the clothing, which will have to be sold at a sacrifice. The goods damaged were mostly children's suits and underclothing, together with a number of gentlemen's suits, overcoats and fancy vests.

### A Former Decatur Boy in the Cast.

W. A. Patterson, *formerly a resident* of this city, is a member of the "O'Dowd's Neighbors" troupe, which appears at the Grand to-night. Will is a brother-in-law of F. W. Greene and was assistant Wabash ticket seller during his residence in the city. He was also a member of the Calumet Club and a large number of young men will undoubtedly witness the performance from the front seats in the parquet. The troupe arrived in the city to-day from Bloomington. There are 31 people in the cast. They go to Cincinnati from Decatur.

### Dunn at the Court House.

The usual large crowd assembled at the Court House last night to hear the addresses on temperance. Frequent references were made to the Ogden murder. Dr. E. W. Moore, Rev. E. B. Cake, Mr. McCall and Rev. M. D. Hawes delivered short talks. Extended remarks were made by Mr. Dunn. Quite a number of signers to the pledge were secured and the singing was excellent. Speaking again to-night and Sunday afternoon at the First M. E. Church at 3 o'clock.

### Sales of Real Estate.

Charles F. Bachman to Mary A. Shorb, lot 18 in block 5 of Higgins' addition to Decatur—$500.

Thomas Davis to William Riley, quit claim to 160 acres in 21, 15, 2 east, $1.00

H. K. Midkiff, administrator estate of Geo. Weiss, to J. C. Lake, deed to lot 6, in sw ¼, nw ¼, of 28, 16, 2 east $8.

### Faos.

Can't say, but Ralph Templeton will give to each purchaser of 25c worth of Drugs, Medicine, Candies, Perfumes, Face Powder, Cosmetics, Brushes, etc., who mention this ad, an elegant scented cake of transparant toilet soap. Good for one week. nov7-d1w

### Oakland Place.

Twelve lots are still unsold in Oakland Place, and some of them are very desirable. Terms easy. C. M. ALLISON.
d1t S. S. JACK.

DR. REED'S Favorite Lotion cures roughness of the skin; sold at Irwin's Pharmacy. oct29-dt

$1.50 for the Best Cabinet Photos, at Chicago Studio, 249 North Main street. Try them. nov6-dtf

THE remains of Jefferson Davis will be removed to Hollywood Cemetery, Richmond.

FORTY-FOUR per cent of all the railways in the world are in this country.

## IN HONOR OF GUESTS.

### The Novel Dove Party at the J. M. Clokey Residence—Surprise Announcement.

The social gathering at the splendid home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clokey, on Prairie avenue, last evening, was confessedly one of the most novel and enjoyable parties in local history. It was a Dove Party, given in honor of Mrs. Sarah Young, of Philadelphia, Pa., and Miss Mollie Barnes and Mrs. Dr. Will Barnes, of Decatur, and will long be pleasantly remembered by those privileged to be present to enjoy the surprises and the hospitality of the home. The guests began to arrive at 4:30 p. m. They were Miss Mollie Barnes, Mrs. William Young of Philadelphia, Mesdames Wm. Barnes, Ira N. Barnes, W. B. Chambers, V. H. Parke, Albert Barnes, Silas Packard, L. L. Race and Miss Annie Packard. These ladies were invited to enjoy the inaugural "Dove Party" of Decatur, and as none knew how such an affair was to be conducted considerable curiosity was aroused. Mrs. Clokey, as the hostess of the occasion, distributed to the ladies neat cards on which were inscribed parts of quotations, and each lady was told that when she had found the person with a card completing the quotation they could have tea but not before. Then began quick comparison of cards, but the missing links could not be discovered. The ladies searched the home from cellar to garret looking for people supposed to be hidden, but the pursuit was in vain; no one could be found. The outlook for tea was decidedly gloomy. Finally the suspense was removed when Dr. W. A. Barnes, Dr. William Barnes, V. H. Parke Dr. Ira N. Barnes, W. B. Chambers, L. Race, Guy J. Parke, Clokey Henry, M. Elson, J. M. Clokey and Ira Clokey entered the parlor, each having a card bearing the long sought for quotation. The gentlemen had met by previous arrangement at the V. H. Parke residence on William street, and had proceeded in a body to the Clokey residence in time to bring joy to the ladies who had about given up all hope of enjoying the feast, which was announced soon after the arrival of the gentlemen. It was an elaborate spread, served under the direction of Mrs. Guyton. All of the appointments were perfect, and the table was magnificent. There was no cloth, but instead the handsome service of gold was set on blue lace mats on the finely polished top. The whole service was blue and gold, and strikingly pretty. The first course was fried chicken, served with waffles, potato chips and cherries: the second course was chicken salad, served with raw oysters and lemon jelly; course three consisted of maccaroon cream, different kinds of cake and preserved white cherries. Gold colored ribbon candy, buttercups, clear coffee and chocolate sticks concluded the supper.

After all had finished, Mrs. Clokey announced the following toasts, and called on the persons named for responses:

"The Bride"—J. M. Clokey.
"Your Opinion of Daughters-in-law."—Dr. W. A. Barnes.
"What He Knows About Noses."—Dr. William Barnes.
"The Recent Visitation of Spirits."—W. B. Chambers.
"What are the Prospects for a Cold Wave?"—V. H. Parke.
"What You Think of Surprises."—Dr. Ira N. Barnes.

SURPRISES.

At the conclusion of the witty speeches, which were accorded hearty applause, J. M. Clokey made a surprise announcement. It was the announcement of the formal announcement of the marriage engagement of Miss Mollie Barnes and Mr. George B Stanton, a business man of the City of Mexico, the wedding to occur at the home of the lady's father during the present month.

*Regrets were received from* Silas Packard, Miss Jessie Gillett and Albert Barnes.

There was also a surprise in store for Mrs. Guyton. Her son, Erskine, who has been in Dakota for several months, arrived unexpectedly and hastened to the Clokey residence on learning that his mother was there.

### The Thanksgiving Shoot.

The following is a list of the prizes to be offered by the Decatur Gun Club at their shoot at the club grounds in East Park Boulevards on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 26:

A box of Little Dukes, donated by Quinn & Seeforth.

Three bottles of Mosel Blumchen Rhine Wine, by Louis Steinbach.

500 Peoria Targets, by the Peoria Target Co.

A fine hunting coat, by W. Fred. Rumby & Co., New York City,

A keg of Western sporting powder, by H. Mueller & Sons.

A pair of high-top sporting boots by Waggoner & Dowling.

A box of Grand Opera cigars by Keck & Weigand.

A $4 silk umbrella, by the Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

One white full dress shirt, by the Race Clothing Manufacturing Co.

One O. M. Draper 14k roll-plated chain, by H. Post.

One 50 pound sack of White Foam flour, by the Hatfield Milling Co.

F. D. Caldwell offers one ton of lump coal to the person making the poorest score, and will, if there is no objections offered, shoot for the prize himself.

## YOU BUY FINE CHINA

Of us for less than you have been paying for "crazable" American porcelains. We cover four floors and have a beautiful chance to do a large business with a small expense account.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

THE Ohio People's Party cast less than two votes to the precinct in the recent election. Jerry Simpson's mouth talked a great deal in Ohio, but the people of that state talked louder than Jerry.

THE attack of the representatives of the Southern Farmers' Alliance upon the Union soldiers in Kansas opened the eyes of the Kansas people, and they kicked last Tuesday.

TIMMINS—"Er—is Laura Figg a girl of any education?" Simmins—"I suppose so. Why?" Timmins—"G I caught her looking into a volume of my poems, you know, and she remarked that she was 'conning the fancies of my imaginary brain.'"

"WHY isn't Pauline married?" asked the family friend. "She's surely old enough." "Yes," answered the loving mother, "but I'm too young just yet myself."

LOUIS LUCIEN BONAPARTE, son of Lucien Bonaparte, and a nephew of the first Napoleon, died in Rome Tuesday, aged 78 years.

YOUNG people in the country are not so slow. They often make love at a rattling gate.

## ILLINOIS CITIES.

### The Official Census Just Issued—Decatur's Gain.

The census office has just completed its final compilation of the population if Illinois by minor civil divisions. Of the 102 counties in the state thirty show slight decreases. The growth of population in Illinois is altogether in the cities and towns. The population of the state is 3,826,351, an increase of 748,480. All *of this increase* is accounted for, and more, by the growth of population in forty-seven cities and towns. Under the tenth census there were thirty-eight cities and towns having a population of 4,000 or more, with an aggregate population of 844,462. Under the present census there are forty-seven cities, towns and villages having a population of 4,000 or more with an aggregate population of 1,604,493. Thus an increase is shown in the aggregate population in cities of this size of 760,481, or 90.06 per cent. Of these forty-seven places two only show decreases.

The largest increase numerically is found in Chicago, which has increased 596,665, or 118.58 per cent during the decade. Large increases are also found in Peoria, Rockford, Joliet, Elgin, Aurora, Decatur and Streator. The largest percentages of increase are found in Austin, Oak Park, Streator, Chicago, Elgin, Joliet Rockford and Decatur. Changes have been made in the official figures of Bloomington and Jacksonville, it having been discovered in the more recent critical examination of the returns that parts of enumeration districts should be included which had been wrongly returned, and consequently not included in the population of those places.

The population of the forty-seven cities, towns and villages having 4,000 or more inhabitants, in the order of their rank, is as follows:

| Cities, towns and villages. | —Population— 1890. | 1880 | Per cent increase |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 1,099,850 | 503 185 | 118.58 |
| Peoria | 41,024 | 29,259 | 40.21 |
| Quincy | 31,494 | 27,268 | 15.50 |
| Springfield | 24,963 | 19,743 | 26 44 |
| Rockford | 23,584 | 13,129 | 79 63 |
| Joliet | 23,064 | 11,657 | 90.57 |
| Bloomington | 20,484 | 17,180 | 19.23 |
| Aurora | 19,688 | 11,873 | 65.82 |
| Elgin | 17,823 | 8,787 | 102.83 |
| Decatur | 16,841 | 9,547 | 76.40 |
| Belleville | 15,361 | 10,683 | 43.79 |
| Galesburg | 15,264 | 11,437 | 33.46 |
| East St. Louis | 15,169 | 9,185 | 65.15 |
| Rock Island | 13,634 | 11,659 | 16.94 |
| Jacksonville | 12,935 | 10,927 | 18.38 |
| Moline | 12,000 | 7,800 | 53 85 |
| Danville | 11,491 | 7,733 | 48.00 |
| Streator | 11,414 | 5,157 | 121 33 |
| Cairo | 10,324 | 9,011 | 14 57 |
| Alton | 10,294 | 8,975 | 14 70 |
| Freeport | 10,189 | 8,516 | 19 65 |
| Ottawa | 9,985 | 7,834 | 27 46 |
| La Salle | 9,855 | 7,847 | 25.59 |
| Kankakee | 9,025 | 5,651 | 59 71 |
| Mattoon | 6,833 | 5,737 | 19 10 |
| Lincoln | 6,200 | 5,639 | 9 90 |
| Pekin | 6,347 | 5,993 | 5 91 |
| Monmouth | 5,936 | 5,090 | 18 72 |
| Champaign | 5,839 | 5,103 | 14 42 |
| Sterling | 5,824 | 5,087 | 14 49 |
| Litchfield | 5,811 | 4,326 | 34 33 |
| Galena | 5,435 | 6,451 | *12.65 |
| Canton | 5 604 | 3,602 | 48 90 |
| Peru | 5,550 | 7,632 | 19 82 |
| Dixon | 5,161 | 3,658 | 41 09 |
| Pana | 5,077 | 3,009 | 68.73 |
| Paris | 4,996 | 4,373 | 14 25 |
| Waukegan | 4,915 | 4,012 | 22.51 |
| Oak Park | 4,771 | 1,880 | 152.70 |
| Centralia | 4,763 | 3,621 | 31.54 |
| Braidwood | 4,641 | 5,524 | * 5.98 |
| Kewanee | 4,569 | 2,704 | 68 97 |
| Beardstown | 4,226 | 3,135 | 34.80 |
| Charleston | 4,135 | 2,867 | 44.83 |
| Macomb | 4,052 | 3,140 | 29.04 |
| Duquoin | 4,052 | 2,857 | 44.35 |
| Austin | 4,051 | 1,359 | 198.09 |

*Decrease.

## TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT.

### The Hiser vs. Hiser Divorce Case will be Decided Later.

Judge Vail held court again to-day to hear further testimony in the divorce case of Mrs. Mary Hiser vs. Edward Hiser, and when it was all over court adjourned until Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Judge Vail said he would take the divorce case under advisement. He said it was considerably mixed, but he would do his best to unravel it, and will probably submit his conclusions on Monday.

GALESBURG *Mail:* There is considerable indignation among Americans over the shamefully misleading reports which have been sent to Europe over the Atlantic cable concerning the attitude of our government in the Chilian imbroglio, and its purposes in relation thereto. These mischievous lies are presumably set afloat to influence the markets, and enable stock gamblers to realize a profit from the fluctuation thereby induced. The most humiliating feature of the whole business is that the cable is controlled by American news agencies at both ends of the line who seem to have so little proper pride in their country that they make no scruple to place our president and cabinet in a light that discredits their intelligence; and the reported interviews with heads of departments show these gentlewhose official position demand discretion and at least the ordinary average of wisdom, discussing without reserve the most delicate points of international law. Out *upon these cable liars!* Let us have an immediate reform.

### Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by B. Z. Taylor, Secretary Decatur Grain Company:

LIVE STOCK—Estimated receipts—
Hogs—20,000; slow.
Cattle—3,500; steady.
GRAIN—Car lots—
Wheat 430; Corn 265; Oats 310.

| | NOV. | DEC. | MAY. |
|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT | $ .95⅝ | $ .96⅝ | $1.03⅝ |
| CORN | .54 | .47⅛ | .44¾ |
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MR. GROVER CLEVELAND may be described as "still harping on his grandmother" when he says: "Any man who still thinks that tariff reform is a settled and obsolete issue * * * is either willfully wrong or dangerously dull," Yet in Ohio, where the only distinct fight was made on the tariff issue this year, the "tariff reformer" is "in the soup" and the Napoleon of protection will succeed him as Governor. Mr. Cleveland may read a healthy lesson therein.

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SLIGHT sprinkle of rain this forenoon.

## EGAN'S ULTIMATUM.

### Secures a Prompt Response from the Chilian Junta

### AND PROTECTION FOR THE LEGATION

From Threatened Mob Violence—The Minister Charged with Harboring Conspirators—The Charge Officially Denounce by Chili.

SANTIAGO, Chili, Nov. 7.—Wild stories have been in circulation here for several days to the effect that a conspiracy had been formed among the refugees in the American legation for the assassination of Col. Canton, who so successfully led the congressionalists during the recent insurrection. As a result of these reports a mass meeting of citizens was held in the plaza yesterday to denounce the conspiracy and to take whatever action was deemed necessary.

Minister Egan notified the junta that threats of an attack upon the legation had been made with the avowed purpose of securing the refugees. In very fine tones Mr Egan announced that the junta will be held directly responsible for any damage which might be done to the legation or any harm that might befall any of its inmates. The junta promptly dispatched a troop of cavalry to the United States legation for its protection.

At the plaza meeting many fiery speeches were made and the United States legation and its troop of so-called conspirators were severely denounced.

Just before the close of the meeting government officials distributed a circular among the crowd which announced that the conspiracy stories were devoid of all foundation. This had a soothing effect upon the excited citizens, and they dispersed to their homes without making any demonstration whatever against the legation.

## THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW

### UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Services forenoon and evening by the pastor, Rev. T. S. Guthrie Subject in the morning, "Purity" Subject in the evening "The Divine Estimate of Man." Sunday school at 9 30 a. m.

### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Corner of Church and Eldorado streets Rev. W. C. Miller, pastor. Morning subject "The Earth and the Kingship of Man." Evening: "The Song Eternal." Sunday school at 9.15 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30 o'clock. All who do not worship elsewhere are cordially invited to unite with us.

### SAINT JOHN'S CHURCH.

Rev. M. M. Goodwin, Rector. Holy Communion, 7 a. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon, 10:30 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon, 7.30 p. m.

### GRACE MISSION.

Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Corner North Main and North streets. Rev. Erastus B. Cake, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E., Monday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Sunday morning subject: "The Ideal Christian." Sunday night subject: "What Meaning has God Put Into Baptism that is In Nothing Else?" All seats free. Strangers made welcome by pastor and people.

Edmund Street Christian Chapel. Sunday *school at 9 a. m.*

### U. B. CENTENARY CHURCH.

458 North Broadway, J. A. F. King, pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "God the Believer's Portion." Evening subject, "Life's Problem." Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m., T. G. Ruthrauff, supt. The Alcyon Quartet will sing at the morning and evening services.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Cor. N. Water and E. North St Rev. Charles E. Torrey pastor. The pastor will speak at 10 30 a. m. upon the Lord's prayer, "Our Father," and at 7:30 p. m. on the second of a series of practical thoughts to the youth of today, "What is True Success?" Seats are free and a cordial welcome is extended to all. Sunday school at the church at 9 a. m

East Park Boulevard Sunday school at 2 30 p. m.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

W. H Penhallegon, pastor. Services in the Grand Opera House at 10:45 a. m. and 7 30 p. m. Morning subject, "Further Lessons from the Shepherd Psalm." Evening subject. "Five Great Questions." Sunday school in the church at 9 30 a. m.; in the chapel, 2 p. m. Strangers and others not worshipping elsewhere cordially invited.

### ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH.

On Spring avenue—G. M. Moore, pastor. Service at 11 a. m., theme, "The Dead Speak," and at 7:30 p. m., theme, "The Unspeakable Gift." Sunday school at 2 30 p. m., Deacon Orr Supt. Covenant meeting at 3 p. m. Communion at 8:30 p. m.

### AT CHURCH.

The usual W. C. T. U. meeting will not be held Sunday, but there will be union temperance services in the audience room at the First M. E. Church at 3 p. m., addressed by Mr. Dunn. All are invited.

### CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Services in the W. C. T. U. rooms, Library Block. Sunday school at 9.30 a. m. Preaching at 10 30 a. m. and 7 30 p. m. by the S. W. Whitehouse.

### FIRST ENGLISH EVNG. LUTHERAN.

Rev. M. L. Wagner, pastor. Services 10 30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at the morning service. The evening service will be a "Children's Reformation Service," given under the auspices of the Sunday school. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. All are welcome to these services.

### FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

General class at 9 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. James Miller, at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Evening subject: "The Acquisition of Wealth," the second of the series on "Wealth and Poverty." Sabbath school at 2 p. m.

### GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. H. R. Oneal, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Morning subject. "Paul's Thorn in the Flesh." Evening subject: "The Practical Value of Religion." Sunday school at 2 p. m., W. L. Shellabarger, Supt. Mission Sunday school, corner N. Broadway and Herkimer Sts., at 9 a. m., John Spence, Supt.

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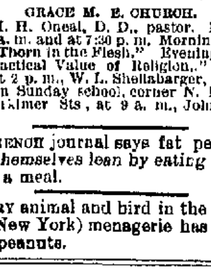

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